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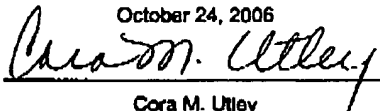
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

In response to the Office Action mailed July 24, 2006, Applicant respectfully submits the following Amendments and Remarks.